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Published by The Central Committee on the United Study of Missions, West Medford, Massachusetts.

This text-book for 1912-1913 is the twelfth in the series issued by the Central Committee, and is a timely and unique contribution to the study of the peoples of other lands. Dr. Headland has had an unusual opportunity of observing the recent happenings in China, and describes in a vivid and accurate way China's break with the past, the educational revolution, the Chinese woman of today, the work of medical missions, etc. We recommend the book not only for use as a text-book of mission study, but also as throwing clear light on the new political situation in China.

L'INTERNATIONALISME SCIENTIFIQUE. By P. H. Eijkman. The Hague: La Fondation pour l'Internationalisme, 6 Van Lennepaeg.

Mr. Eijkman's discussion occupies 108 pages of the work. A larger number of pages are devoted to notes on the work of various organizations of an international character.

CARNEGIE ENDOWMENT FOR INTERNATIONAL PEACE. Year Book for 1911. 195 pages. Washington, D. C.: The Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, 2 Jackson Place.

The book contains the history of the organization of the Foundation and of the work of the three Divisions for the past year.

ANNUAIRE DE L'UNION INTERPARLEMENTAIRE. By Christian L. Lange, Secretary of the Union. Brussels: Bureau of the Interparliamentary Union.

The first part contains information in regard to the Union itself, its history, its statutes, its activity for the past year. The second part is more general in character, gives a list of the arbitration treaties concluded and the awards rendered the past year, etc.

IN REI MEMORIAM. Manifestations officielles du pacifisme contre la guerre déclarée par l'Italie à la Turquie en Septembre 1911. A collection of the numerous protests of the peace societies, etc., against the action of Italy in going to war with Turkey. 128 pages. Berne: The International Peace Bureau.

MOUNTAIN PATHWAYS. A study in the Ethics of the Sermon on the Mount. By Hector Waylen. London: Kegan Paul, Trench, Trübner & Co. Revised and enlarged. 128 pages. Price, 3 shillings and 6 pence, net.

The first edition of this work received many commendations as a "valuable contribution," "a delightful and attractive study," etc. This revised and enlarged edition is considerably improved over the first. The chapter on "Christian Non-Resistance," which covers 20 pages, is an original and fresh—so far as there can be any original and fresh—contribution to the study of this subject. The conclusion reached by Mr. Waylen as to the plain teaching of Jesus on the resistance of violence by violence seems to be the only one possible to draw from His language and illustrations. It agrees with the opinions expressed in the larger works of Jonathan Dymond and Adin Ballou in the early part of the 19th century. The new translation of the Sermon on

the Mount given by the author, with his copious footnotes, ought to aid many students in getting at the inner ethical meaning of the "mountain instruction," though we confess that we should not like to see it put into the place of the translation of the passage as found in the American Standard Revision.

The volume of proceedings of the Third American Peace Congress, held at Baltimore, May 3-6, 1911, the publication of which has been unavoidably long delayed, is now ready for distribution. It is a fine volume of 500 pages, printed on lightweight paper in large type, and carefully indexed. It contains papers and remarks by about forty prominent men and women, including the address of the President of the United States. The price is 75 cents, postpaid. Copies may be procured at the office of the American Peace Society.

"War is in its essence and it is a main condition of its success to kindle into fierce exercise among great masses of men the destructive and combative passions. . . . Destruction is one of its chief ends. Deception is one of its chief means. It would be difficult to conceive a disposition more remote from the morals of ordinary life, not to speak of Christian ideals, than that with which the soldiers, most animated with the fire and passion that lead to victory, rush forward to bayonet the foe."—*The Historian Lecky.*

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